

IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

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**Amendment and Response Under 37 C.F.R. § 1.116**

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Sir:

The following proposed amendments and remarks are respectfully submitted in response to the final Office Action dated November 13, 2006. and further in response to the Notice of Non-Compliant Amendment and Advisory Action mailed March 27, 2007. **An extension of the deadline for response to the Office Action is respectfully requested pursuant to 37 C.F.R. § 1.136(a) and the appropriate fee is submitted herewith.**

**Amendments to the Claims** are reflected in the listing of claims beginning on page 2 of this paper. **No additional claims fees are due.**

**Remarks** begin on page 7 of this paper.